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In re PATENT APPLICATION of **CUSTOMER NO. 27717**

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| Applicant : | Robert A. Pangrcic | ) Examiner: J. Lofdahl |
| Serial No. : | 10/686,250 | ) Group Art Unit: 3644 |
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| For : | FISH CATCHER | ) |

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| | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | |
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| | | Small Entity | | Small Entity | | Small Entity | |
| Application Type | Fee ($) | Fee ($) | Fee ($) | Fee ($) | Fee ($) | Fee ($) | Fees Paid ($) |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

| Fee Description | Fee ($) | Small Entity Fee ($) |
|---|---|---|
| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

| Total Claims | | Extra Claims | Fee ($) | | Fees Paid ($) |
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